# **BestPractices:** Industrial Assessment Centers



**Industrial Technologies Program** 

### **USDOE SAVE ENERGY NOW Initiative**

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The Industrial Assessment Center
National Webcast Lecture Series 2006

#### **Resources:**

The university-based **Industrial Assessment Centers** provide no-cost industrial assessments to nearby small and medium-sized manufacturers. To find out more or to locate a center near you, please visit http://iac.rutgers.edu



For more information on SAVE ENERGY NOW and all of DOE's system assessment tools, and to learn more about DOE Qualified Specialists and training opportunities, visit the BestPractices Web site, www.eere. energy.gov/industry/bestpractices/.

The new Department of Energy "SAVE ENERGY NOW" Initiative proudly presents the IAC National Webcast Lecture Series for 2006. This **FREE** 5-part series will focus on specific topics related to industrial energy efficiency. These topics include:

- Efficient Building Management Strategies Feb 15, 12:00 EST
- Measuring and Improving Boiler Efficiency Mar 15, 12:00 EST
- Combined Heat and Power Apr 12, 12:00 EST
- Optimizing Combustion Systems May 10, 12:00 EST
- Steam System Management Jun 14, 12:00 EST

The lectures will be given by distinguished professors who in addition to being internationally recognized experts in their fields, serve as directors of the DOE sponsored Industrial Assessment Center located at their universisities. The lectures are intended for anyone involved with energy efficiency projects in industry and will include the impacts of energy prices, project cost estimation, and methods of implementation.

This series is ABSOLUTELY FREE to the public. Feel free to REGISTER for any or all lectures that you might be interested in. If you cannot be there for the live lecture, check out our Archived Lectures later to replay it!

To preregister for the webcast or to view archived lectures, visit:

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## The Lectures

#### Lecture 1: February 15, 2006 at 12:00 - 1:00 EST



#### Energy Efficient Building Management Strategies

Lecturer:

Dr. Michael R. Muller Professor of Mechanical Engineering

Director of the Center for Advanced Energy Systems)
Rutgers University

#### Lecture 2: March 16, 2006 at 12:00 - 1:00 EST



Measuring and Improving Boiler Efficiency

Lecturer:

Dr. Herb Eckerlin

Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering North Carolina State Universityy

#### Lecture 3: April 12, 2006 at 12:00 - 1:00 EST



The Utilization of Combined Heat and Power - Is It Right For You?

Lecturer:

Dr. William M. Worek

Professor and Head, Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering)

University of Illinois - Chicago

#### Lecture 4: May 10, 2006 at 12:00 - 1:00 EST



**Optimizing Combustion Systems** 

Lecturer:

Dr. Arvind Atreya Professor of Mechanical Engineering University of Michigan

#### Lecture 5: June 15, 2006 at 12:00 - 1:00 EST



Steam System Management

Lecturer:

Dr. Warren Heffington Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering Texas A&M University

ITP provides U.S. industries with software assessment tools, training, technical information, and assistance. These resources and energy management practices help plants improve the energy efficiency of their process heating, steam, pumps, compressed air, and other systems; reduce operating costs; and improve their bottom line.

BestPractices is part of the Industrial Technologies Program, and supports DOE's strategy to help the country's most energy-intensive industries improve their competitiveness.

BestPractices brings together emerging technologies and energy-management best practices to help companies begin improving energy efficiency, environmental performance, and productivity right now.

BestPractices emphasizes plant systems, where significant efficiency improvements and savings can be achieved. Industry gains easy access to near-term and long-term solutions for improving the performance of process heating, steam, pumps, compressed air and other motor-driven systems. In addition, the Industrial Assessment Centers provide comprehensive industrial energy evaluations to small- and medium-size manufacturers.

A Strong Energy Portfolio for a Strong America

Energy efficiency and clean, renewable energy will mean a stronger economy, a cleaner environment, and greater energy independence for America. Working with a wide array of state, community, industry, and university partners, the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy invests in a diverse portfolio of energy technologies.

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Industrial Technologies Program (ITP) www.eere.energy.gov/industry

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